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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No.	16827.018
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Title	Content Conversion Method and Apparatus
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS		ADDRESS TO:
<p><i>(See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.)</i></p> <p>1. X Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) <i>(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)</i></p> <p>2. X Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</p> <p>3. X Specification <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">[Total Pages 62]</span> <i>(preferred arrangement set forth below)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Descriptive title of the Invention</li> <li>- Cross References to Related Applications</li> <li>- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R &amp; D</li> <li>- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix</li> <li>- Background of the Invention</li> <li>- Brief Summary of the Invention</li> <li>- Brief Description of the Drawings (<i>if filed</i>)</li> <li>- Detailed Description</li> <li>- Claim(s)</li> <li>- Abstract of the Disclosure</li> </ul> <p>4. X Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">[Total Sheets 1]</span></p> <p>5. Oath or Declaration <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">[Total Pages ]</span></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Newly executed (original or copy)</li> <li>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d)) <i>(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)</i></li> <li>i. <input type="checkbox"/> <b>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</b> Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</li> </ul> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76</p>		<p>Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, DC 20231</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)</p> <p>8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission <i>(if applicable, all necessary)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Readable Form (CRF)</li> <li>b. Specification Sequence Listing on:           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. <input type="checkbox"/> CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or</li> <li>ii. <input type="checkbox"/> paper</li> </ul> </li> <li>c. <input type="checkbox"/> Statements verifying identity of above copies</li> </ul>
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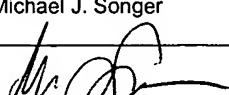
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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## Complete if Known

Application Number	To be assigned
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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)		
101 740	201 370	Utility filing fee	370
106 330	206 165	Design filing fee	
107 510	207 255	Plant filing fee	
108 740	208 370	Reissue filing fee	
114 160	214 80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)		370	

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Fee from below	Fee Paid
Extra Claims	
20 -20** = 0 x 9 = 0	0
7 - 3** = 4 x 42 = 168	168
Multiple Dependent	

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	
103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	204 140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)		168

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105 130	205 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127 50	227 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139 130	139 130	Non-English specification	
147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112 920*	112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113 1,840*	113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115 110	215 55	Extension for reply within first month	
116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month	
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month	
118 1,440	218 720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119 320	219 160	Notice of Appeal	
120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,280	241 640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,280	242 640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 460	243 230	Design issue fee	
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
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146 740	246 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149 740	249 370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179 740	279 370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169 900	169 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
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Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal (PTO/SB/05);
2. Fee Transmittal for FY 2002 (PTO/SB/17);
3. U.S. Non-Provisional Application entitled:  
and naming as inventors:

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the application consisting of:

- a. A specification containing:
  - (i) 55 pages of a description prior to the claims;
  - (ii) 6 pages of claims (20 claims); and
4. two (2) return postcards.

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It is respectfully requested that, of the two attached postcards, one be stamped with the filing date of these documents and returned to our courier, and the other, prepaid postcard, be stamped with the filing date and unofficial application number and returned as soon as possible.

Should any additional fees be required, the Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Arnold and Porter deposit account 50-1824 referencing matter number 16827.018.

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## Enclosures